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Interview Summary	Application No. 10/720,007	Applicant(s) SUGAYA, SHIGERU	
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Date of Interview: 07 September 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☐ No.
If Yes, brief description: ____.

Claim(s) discussed: ____.

Identification of prior art discussed: 4,500,989 and 6,324,667.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant's representative proposed to amend all of the independent claims to overcome the prior art. Applicant's representative also agreed to amend the claims as suggested by Examiner to over 112 second paragraph and 101 rejection. Examiner will consider them when the amendment is formally filed.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/Phung My Chung/ Primary Examiner, Art Unit 2117	10/7/08
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